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SHIPYARD : WU-CHANG SHIPYARD
LOCATION : WU-CHANG, CHINA
GEO COORDS: 30-32N 114-17E



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KEY TO ANNOTATIONS

1. "T-43" Class MSF at fitting-out barge (LOA approx 190').
The distinctive "T-43" superstructure shape is easily discerned on this unit. Although this ship appears to be nearly outfitted, three small probable canvas weather sheds are positioned at various places on the weather decks. See annotation 5,
2. Probable "R" Class SS (visible waterline length approx 250').
Imagery equating to the position and approximate size of the "R" Class snorkel induction housing can be seen on the sail of the unit moored inboard of the fitting-out barge. A small unidentified object is positioned on the hull approximately 25 feet forward of the sail. See annotation 6,
3. Probable "R" Class SS on building way (length of weather sheds covering submarine approx 265').
Imagery equating to the size and position of the snorkel induction housing on "R" Class units can be seen atop the sail of this submarine which protrudes through a break in the weather sheds. See annotation 4,
4. Two possible patrol craft on building way (LOA of each approx 100').
These units appear to be of the same type (not identified) and are characterized by a very slender hull profile. They do not equate to any known class of Chicom naval craft.
5. Weather shed over building way (approx total length 170').
6. "T-43" Class MSF on building way (LOA approx 190').
This unit appears to be nearly ready for launching although one weather shed is positioned on the stern and a second located by the bow of the ship. See annotation 1,

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- NOTE: (1) The large door (annotation "A") at the side of the new construction hall measures approximately 75 feet in width.
- (2) All measurements have been made by the CIA/IAD project analyst.

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FIGURE 1

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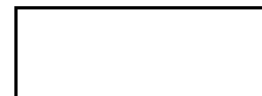
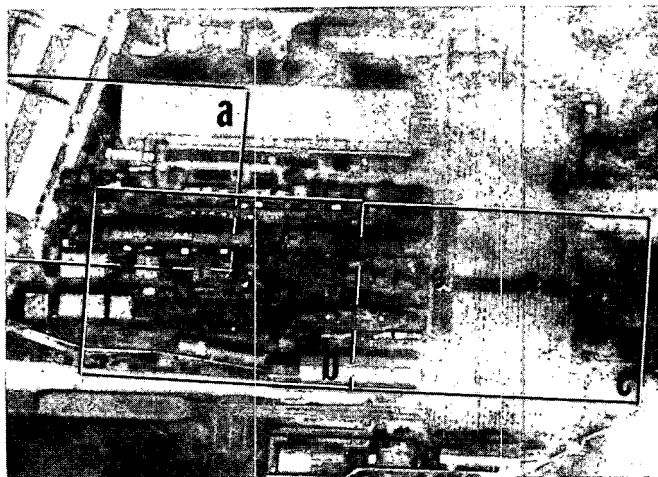
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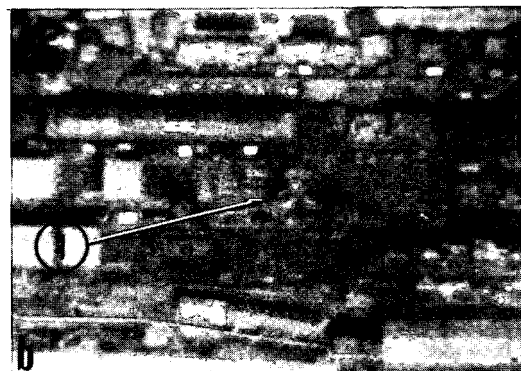
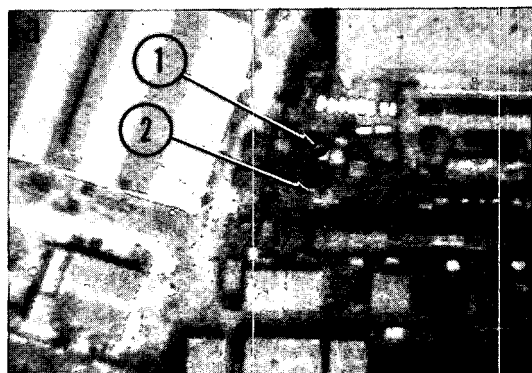
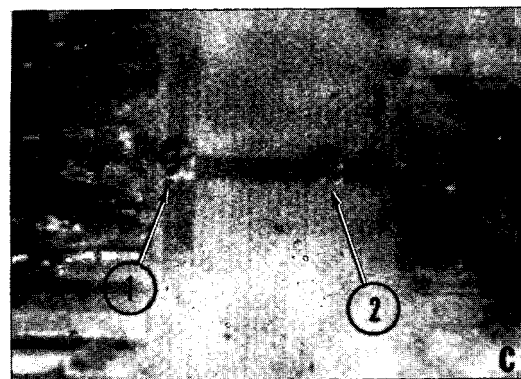
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POSSIBLE SUBMARINE HULL SECTIONS AT WU-CHANG SHIPYARD, CHINA



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KEY TO ANNOTATIONS

- A1. Possible "figure eight" submarine hull section (diameter approx 15')
- A2. Possible submarine hull section (diameter approx 20')
- B1. Possible submarine hull section (diameter approx 20')
- C1. Four possible submarine hull sections (diameters of each approx 15')
Two of these sections appear to be "figure eight" sections
- C2. Four possible submarine hull sections (diameters of each approx 15')

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FIGURE 2

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